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In Re Application of: Conrad HENKENS Wal TRANS Application No.: 10/085,021

Filed: March 1, 2002

For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING A MULTI-LAYER FILM AND...

Art Unit: 1733

Examiner: John L. GOFF II

Confirmation No. 8793

Atty.'s Docket: HENKENS=1

OR

OR

Washington, D.C.

Date: May 5, 2004

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir

Transmitted herewith is a [ ] Amendment [XX]\_REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS in the above-identified application.

Small Entity Status: Applicant(s) claim small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

[XX] No additional fee is required.

[ ] The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	
•	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA EQUALS	
TOTAL	9	MINUS	** 20	0	
INDEP.	1	MINUS	*** 3	0	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM					

	SWALL ENTITY				
		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE		
	×	9 .	\$		
	×	43	\$		
	+	145	\$		
ADDITIONAL FEE TOTAL			\$		

OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY RATE ADDITIONAL FEE 18 86 290 \$ TOTAL \$

If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.

- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- If the "Highest Number Previously Paid for" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

The "Highest Number Previously Paid For" (total or independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment of the number of claims originally filed.

Conditional Petition for Extension of Time

If any extension of time for a response is required, applicant requests that this be considered a petition therefor.

[ ] It is hereby petitioned for an extension of time in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a). The appropriate fee required by 37 CFR 1.17 is calculated as shown below:

Small Entity Other Than Small Entity Response Filed Within Response Filed Within [ ] First \$ 55.00 \$ 110.00 Second \$ 210.00 Second \$ 420.00 1 [ \$ 475.00 \$ 950.00 [ ] 1 [ ] Fourth \$ 740.00 Fourth 1 Month After Time Period Set Month After Time Period Set [ ] Less fees (\$\_ \_\_\_) already paid for \_\_\_ month(s) extension of time on \_ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 02-4035 in the amount of \$\_ ] Credit Card Payment Form, PTO-2038, is attached, authorizing payment in the amount of \$\_ A check in the amount of \$\_ is attached (check no. ).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized and requested to charge any additional fees which may be required in connection with this application or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-4035. This authorization and request is not limited to payment of all fees associated with this communication, including any Extension of Time fee, not covered by check or specific authorization, but is also intended to include all fees for the presentation of extra claims under 37 CFR §1.16 and all patent processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17 throughout the prosecution of the case. This blanket authorization does not include patent issue fees under 37 CFR §1.18.

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## REPLY: AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment
Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Replying to the Office Action mailed February 5, 2004, please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.